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In re application of:

Jean-Michel Guirman et al.

METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A THERMOSTRUCTURAL COMPOSITE MATERIAL BOWL Entitled:

| Transi | nitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable: | | | | |
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AMENDMENT

Via Facsimile Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 3, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.